

REMARKS

The claims of Group II (Claims 11-24), directed to the laminate, are elected for further prosecution. Nonelected Claims 1-10 and 25-37 are cancelled. New Claims 38-60 depend from the claims of Group II, and are directed to the laminate. These claims should be considered as part of elected Group II.

No new matter has been added. No additional fees are owed, because the number of claims now presented does not exceed the number previously paid for.

Respectfully submitted,



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